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LOCAL.

STAGE left Friday morning.

INDEPENDENCE day across the line.

HEAVY rain Thursday afternoon. Good for crops.

V. ANDERSON arrived from Calgary on Wednesday.

THE BARONESS was expected to leave Pitt yesterday.

G. SANDERSON arrived from Calgary on Monday evening.

Two wedding processions astonished the folks here this week.

BULL-DOG flies have been very troublesome during the past few weeks.

THE Calgary Herald arranged to issue its first daily edition on July 2nd.

CHIEF Bob-Tail, of Battle River, has gone on his annual visit to the Blackfeet.

A GOVERNMENT train of twelve wagons arrived from Red Deer on Tuesday last.

REV. J. A. McLACHLAN arrived from Victoria this week on his way to Calgary.

J. ROWLAND, F. ROWLAND, and A. ROWLAND arrived from Pitt on Monday evening last.

R. W. McLELLAN, of Red Deer, has been appointed a North-West Justice of the peace.

MR. AND MRS. C. W. SUTTER left for Calgary and Winnipeg with Jas. Ross this morning.

JUDGE ROLEAU will hold his long delayed court at Edmonton on Wednesday, August 19th.

W. ROSS, of Ft. Saskatchewan and John Whirford, of Beaver lake arrived from Pitt on Friday.

BIG BEAR and one of his councillors were captured at Carlton by the police, on Thursday night last.

No service in the Methodist church next Sabbath morning, as the pastor will be absent at the Sturgeon.

J. ASHEN arrived from Calgary on Tuesday with freight for Norris & Carey, making the trip in six days.

C. ALLOWAY and Ad. McPherson arrived from Calgary on Sunday last, healed again for scrip purchases.

CAPT. DESGEORGES and a detachment of the St. Albert Mounted Rifles arrived from Lac la Biche this morning.

J. CALDER and — Cook, of Red Deer, of the advance scouts, arrived from Ft. Pitt by the Baroness on Tuesday.

THE scrip commissioners arrived at Ft. Saskatchewan at 3 a.m. on Friday morning and left for Victoria the same evening.

J. A. McDougall & Co. have sold out their whole stock of goods to Peter Pruden of Lac la Biche, and will retire from business.

J. MACDONALD arrived from Calgary this week with a train of carts loaded for the H.B. Co., to go through to the Landing.

J. BLAIR was summoned on Thursday evening last, charged with running a wheel of fortune on the race course on the 1st of July.

CHIEF FACTOR Hardisty is to leave for Calgary to day to bring in Trade Commissioner Wrigley, of the H.B. Co. on a business visit.

J. A. MITCHELL has been appointed Indian agent of the Victoria division of treaty six, formerly included in the Edmonton agency.

THE H. B. Co. despatched several teams for the Athabasca landing on Thursday, with freight for the boat building going on there.

MAIL did not close until nearly twelve o'clock on Thursday evening. The amount of registered matter has largely increased lately.

BIG BEAR'S son, who resided at Buffalo lake all last winter, and refused to take part in the Bears' hill disturbances last spring, has joined his pa.

THE Bears' Hill Indians still wear war paint and carry iron headed arrows, though they talk peace. A similar report comes from Riviere QuiBarre.

T. HURSTON arrived from Calgary on horseback on Tuesday, having left that place on the previous Sunday; less than 36 hours travelling. The best time on record.

A DINNER to the officers of the right wing of the 65th battalion was given in Kelly's restaurant, on Monday evening last, by the French Canadian residents of Edmonton, Ft. Saskatchewan and St. Albert.

CAPT. SMITH and Dr. McKay, of the H. B. Co., Peace river, left for the Landing on Friday morning last. The former to finish building the H. B. boats there, and the latter to proceed to Peace river.

THE telegraph line began operations once more on Saturday evening of last week, but fizzled out on Thursday and did not resume operations in time for eastern despatches to arrive for this issue of the BULLETIN.

W. ANDERSON, Indian agent, went to Ft. Saskatchewan on Thursday to assist any half-breeds taking treaty as Indians to change their allegiance, and on Friday left for Victoria to perform the same office there.

THE BARONESS left about 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening, 30th, with Nos. 1, 2, 7 and 8 companies of the 65th, bound for Pitt and Grand Rapids. The 65th will go to Winnipeg by water and thence by rail to Montreal.

WEDDING party at W. Borwick's, Lower Settlement, on Thursday evening last, on the marriage of Mr. John Borwick to Eliza, daughter of Peter Erasmus, of Whitefish lake. A large and merry party were present and danced until daylight in the morning.

THE stables of Mr. Thos. Anderson, crown timber agent on the south side, were accidentally burned on Sunday last. The fire spread from a smudge. No stock was lost, but the buildings were burned completely down.

A 600 yard foot race between Hornsby, of the Light Infantry, and L'Hirondelle, of St. Albert, came off on Saturday afternoon last near Dan Noyes' place, and resulted in favor of the latter. The stakes were \$50 a side and betting was brisk.

A. WHITFORD, of the advance scouts, who went east with General Strange's force, returned on Saturday last. He came direct from the Cold lake crossing of the Beaver, where Gen. Strange's and Steele's forces were at that time camped.

THE Saskatchewan gold mining and dredging company will commence operations at once by building a scow to carry the machinery now lying on the river bank at Hardisty & Fraser's mill. Jas. Levy and W. Beaupre will manage the business.

A SETTLER'S picnic was held in Mr. Craig's grove Sturgeon river on Wednesday July 1st. The games were croquet, quoits, and baseball. The eatables provided by the ladies were all that could be desired. A social and enjoyable day was spent.

MAIL arrived on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock, with four horse team, W. McInnes, driver. A heavy mail, several large boxes of express and three passengers, J. Levy, of the mining scow, and W. Beaupre, from Calgary, and J. V. Kildahl, from Peace hills.

AN examination of the children of St. Albert mission school took place on Tuesday afternoon last, in the school room at St. Albert, and was attended by a large number of visitors from Edmonton and elsewhere, as well as the parents and friends of the children.

THE great Indian department supply contract for the year has been let, the H. B. Co. securing the lion's share. Lyon, Mackenzie & Powis, of Winnipeg, and I. G. Baker & Co., of Ft. MacLeod, secured portions of the contract. The H. B. Co. supply the entire Winnipeg agency.

H. S. YOUNG, of the H. B. Co., arrived from Victoria where he has been packing the remains of the Lac la Biche outfit of fur lately. He thinks that not more than 20 scrips will be issued at Victoria unless the Lac la Biche people come in, which he thinks they will be unable to do.

COURIERS from Ft. Pitt report that about a week ago a fight occurred at Battleford between settlers and Indians, in which a number of the latter were killed. The settlers went to the Indian camp to reclaim some of their plundered stock, which the Indians refused to give up, and the trouble ensued.

POSTERS arrived by last mail from the department of the Interior giving notice that unsatisfied claims to scrip by half-breed children and heads of families, as well as by original white settlers in the province of Manitoba, must be presented before the 1st day of May, 1886, for if not presented before that time all rights in them will absolutely cease. The reserves of 1,400,000 acres having been exhausted half-breed children get \$240 in scrip and heads of families and original white settlers \$160.

JAS. ROSS intended to start for Calgary on Friday morning with his team for freight, but he didn't, because he could not find one of his horses. He searched all day and only found the horse in the evening in rear of town, with saddle marks on his back, having evidently been ridden. J. Smith had a horse used the same way. The trick may have been thought a good joke by those who played it, but should they be known they can be made to suffer severely for their fun.

W. MCKAY and J. HAYES returned from their telegraph repairing trip on Tuesday. They report rain every day in the Hay lakes country; water very high, pea vine and grass in bloom and a tremendous crop.

AS C. CHABLE was driving two horses and a wagon belonging to A. Ratelle, of Horse Hill, on Monday evening last, in going down a slight grade at the creek near his place, the horses became detached from the wagon and made off with the harness and neck-yoke on them. Search was made for them but they were not found until Thursday morning last when they were discovered in some woods, fast by the lines to a tree in which they had become entangled. The horses were not much the worse, but the harness was rather badly used up.

THE scrip commissioners wound up their duties at St. Albert on Tuesday forenoon last, and began work at Edmonton the same evening. At St. Albert they issued 337 certificates for scrip, varying from 160 to 240 acres; 67 certificates for land scrip for 240 acres each, and 10 for 160 acres each; 362 certificates to heirs at law of deceased persons for sums from \$10 to \$880, but principally for smaller sums than \$240, and 28 certificates for money scrip to children under 18 years of age. Total issued at St. Albert in the three weeks session of the commission 727 certificates for money and 77 for land. Work was continued briskly at Edmonton on Tuesday evening and the whole of Wednesday. The commissioners finally closed their books about 7 p.m., and at once embarked on a skiff for Ft. Saskatchewan, where they sat on Thursday and then proceeded to Victoria on Friday morning. At Edmonton, during the first visit of the commissioners, 114 claims were received, upon which 94 money certificates in sums varying from \$30 to \$240, and 36 land certificates for 240 acres of land each, were issued. During the commissioners' second visit 45 money scrip and 12 land scrips were issued. A total of \$65 money scrip, representing a cash value of about \$90,000, and 125 land scrip, were issued which, with that issued at Ft. Saskatchewan, would make considerably over 1,000 scrip issued in Edmonton and vicinity, while a large number of claims yet remain unsettled.

THE Calgary Herald is more comprehensive in its assertions than in its knowledge. In a recent issue it remarks: "In good truth the rebellion has ruined the north country and the settlements along the North Saskatchewan will not recover until a railway passes through that country." Battleford and Prince Albert can speak for themselves. No doubt they have suffered temporary loss, but nothing from which they will not speedily recover. At Edmonton, however, we would like to be ruined five or six times a year as this rebellion has ruined us. The Herald concludes its item by saying that for several years the "north country, impoverished by recent events, will be left almost entirely to the Indians and half-breeds." What possible grounds of common sense or self interest can induce the Herald to speak so of the northern part of Alberta it is impossible to see. The Herald and the people of Calgary should know that every additional settler at Edmonton or any place on the trail north of Calgary, so long as that place is the shipping point for Edmonton, is so much more business for their town, and that their interest is rather to promote than to obstruct with falsehood settlement to the north. The country from the Lone Pine north is the direct opposite of that at Calgary in many particulars, especially in the abundance of wood, water and hay, and many a man who comes to Calgary and is disappointed with the plains would be well suited with the partially timbered country from Lone Pine to Edmonton. But on account of the misinformation in regard to that country which he receives at Calgary, very often from people who have never seen it, he turns east again. Alberta loses a settler and Calgary merchants a customer. How in the name of common sense is Calgary ever to become a trade centre if the country tributary to it, distant as well as near, is not settled? And how can that country be settled if the Calgary people themselves persist in playing the dog in the manger, and when they cannot get people to settle in their immediate vicinity deliberately lie in order to prevent them from settling elsewhere. The business men of Calgary should call off their—editor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

KELLY'S RESTAURANT.—In rear of saloon. Meals at all hours. Best table in town.

FOUND.—Near Thos. Houston's dwelling, a white linen handkerchief with a ten dollar bill tied in the corner. Owner will find it at NORRIS & CAREY'S.

SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT COURT. Edmonton division.—The adjourned sittings of the above court will be held in the school-house, Edmonton, on Wednesday the 19th of August, commencing at 10 a.m. L. J. MUNRO, Clerk of the Court.

NOTICE.—All parties indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle up forthwith, without further notice. X. ST. JEAN.

ESTRAY.—Came to the premises of the subscriber in April last, a last winter's calf, black, with small white spots. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take it away. J. NORRIS, sr.

\$5.00 REWARD.—Followed a team with colt and wagon on the St. Albert road, my black brood mare, 12 hands high, long tail, white face and feet. Anyone returning to the undersigned will receive the above reward. DONALD ROSS, Edmonton Hotel.

STRAYED from Edmonton in December last, a Roan Mare about six years old, branded diamond G on the hip. Supposed to be on Stoney plain. Any person leaving her at McCauley's livery stable, or with the subscriber, will receive \$10 reward. W. WALKER.

NOTICE.—The undersigned has now for sale the boat, boiler and engine of the Goldpan, now lying at Point le Pes, together with ropes, blocks, pitch, oakum, portable forge, blacksmith's tools, iron (round and bar) etc., etc. Terms cash. STUART D. MULKINS. Edmonton, Oct 11th, 1884.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned on May 8th, a Br. wn Pony, white strip in face, deep chested, brand on left hip, J. M., was last seen in the vicinity of St. Albert. Any one bringing him to the Methodist Mission house, Edmonton will receive \$5 reward. JOHN H. HOWARD.

ALBERTA FIELD FORCE.

SUPPLY OFFICE, EDMONTON,
18th June, 1885.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, JULY 4, 1885.

The Regina Leader says that an act is being passed to empower the governor in council to appoint another stipendiary magistrate for the North-West, and to appoint additional members to the North-West council. The former item is perfectly satisfactory, but the latter gives notice that the present insult to the intelligence of the people of the North-West is to be continued. The insult should be resented.

Nor the least benefit that the scrip issue is conferring on the country is the means it offers half-breeds who have become treaty Indians to free themselves by paying back the treaty money they have received in scrip. By freeing themselves from the treaty they relieve the government of a considerable charge and heavy responsibility and enroll themselves in the ranks of the workers instead of the drones, to which they formerly belonged.

The following is a list of the half-breeds killed and wounded in the different engagements at Duck lake and South Branch, as furnished by George Fisher, of Qu'Appelle, brother of Alex. Fisher, the rebel lieutenant-governor. At Duck lake, Isidore Dumont, Augustine Laframboise, two sons of Paschal Mountain and one Indian, five in all. At Fish creek, Joseph Vermette, Joseph Boyer (Wa-chusk), St. Pierre Paranteau, Michel Desjarlais, two Sioux Indians—six in all. At Batoche—Oullette, sr., Donald Ross, Joseph Vandal, Isidore Boyer, Daniel Carriere, Andre Batoche, Calixte Tourand, Elzeard Tourand, Michel Trotter, John Swan, Joseph Deforme—11 in all. About ten were wounded, Pierre Tourand, Wm. Swan and two children of Philip Gardepe, severely. Prisoners taken, Emanuel Champagne, Moise Oullette, Maxime Lepine, Pierre Gardepe, Pierre Paranteau, Moise Paranteau, Patrice Tourand, Alex. Fisher, La Bombardie, sr., Baptiste Vandal, Pierre Vandal, Philip Garneau, Pierre Henry, Baptiste Rocheleau, Maxime Dubois, Ignace Poltras, and two of his sons, Albert Monkman, Alex. Cayol, Joseph Pilon, W. Jackson and one Sioux Indian—22 in all.

There seems to be a tendency in both Great Britain and the States to belittle the fighting qualities displayed by our Canadian volunteers in the recent Saskatchewan campaign. While no sensible person can sympathize with the columns of hog wash, both prose and rhyme, devoted to the laudation of themselves and their exploits which appear in some of the Canadian papers, nor with the lying telegrams which have described drawn battles, if not defeats, as decisive victories, a comparison between the success of the Canadian troops and those of the two countries mentioned in similar circumstances will not be found to be to the disadvantage of the former. It is a simple historical fact that the trained troops of either country have seldom if ever been successful against a foe pursuing the tactics of the Saskatchewan half-breed and Indian rebels, and certainly neither ever came against a foe better armed or more expert in the use of their arms than the same rebels. It is notorious that when disciplined troops have had to face a deadly unseen foe of unknown numbers they have repeatedly become demoralized and were defeated, when could they have seen their enemy or known his strength they would have made short work of him. The earthworks at Batoche were almost perfection, insuring complete safety from cannon and gatling, and the defensive force was but little inferior in numbers to the attacking force. The final attack was made by the volunteers without the orders of their commanding officer, after three days of most discouraging fighting and practical defeat. There have been thousands of more brilliant and perhaps braver actions, but there are few that showed a more persistent determination to win—more true courage under most discouraging circumstances such as even disciplined regulars have in many instances failed to show. The nations which have to admit a Braddock's defeat and Custer massacre, an Isandula and Majuba hill, have no reason to sneer at the Canadian volunteers who fought at Batoche or Cut Knife creek. In the latter fight they were surprised, surrounded and outnumbered, officers or men had never been under fire before, and yet they inflicted upon their enemies a loss at least as heavy as that suffered by themselves. They made the mistake of retiring from the field they had so bravely held, and lost the moral prestige of a decisive victory, but it must be remembered that under similar circumstances, on many occasions, disciplined and experienced men and officers of both Great Britain and the United States have suffered, not defeat, but utter disaster.

PENSIONS.

Why does not some member of the house of Commons speak out on the subject of pensions to the wounded and maimed volunteers, and the families of those killed in the late campaign? Are they so busy debating the franchise bill that is to keep them in or out of their miserable seats that they forget the calls of humanity and patriotism? Shall it be said that the young men of Canada—the men who in many instances are not allowed to vote—shall sacrifice health and limb, and life in their country's cause, and that that country can afford them no recompense; that its people are so poor in means or in spirit that a few must bear the burden of loss for the whole? The matter is urgent. It cannot wait. The towns who have sent their men to the front are disbursing thousands weekly in the support of families, while other towns which have sent no men contribute nothing. The volunteers served the country, not their native town, and did not wait to ask questions when called upon; the country should attend to their wants and not wait to ask questions either. And let not those who have suffered be insulted with a paltry 25 cts. a day pension. Let them be pensioned at a rate commensurate with the sacrifice which they have made. What though it should bear heavily on the tax payer. The tax payer is also the voter, and the pension list would be an annual practical reminder to him of the horrors of war—a reminder that it should not be lightly entered into. The number of pensioners in the present instance, thank heaven, and not our good government or generals, will not be many; but though it were every second man in the country, the unharmed should sacrifice his means for the benefit of the sufferer, as he did his health for the benefit of the other. In this Canada of ours we have no lower class, or fighting class, from which to draw our soldiers. What soldiers we require—and unfortunately any country may some time need soldiers—must be drawn from all classes. The farmer, the merchant, the professional man and the laborer must all contribute their quota. We have neither independent gentlemen nor paupers to be soldiers. The former to support themselves in case of being wounded, or the latter to live on the pittance that would keep soul and body within reaching distance. Neither can it be expected that the unmarried men will furnish the whole number required. In Canada marriage of adults is almost universal, and it is to the interest of the country that it should be so, therefore if there are to be soldiers there must always be a large proportion of men having families depending on them. That these families should suffer because of the extra loyalty and devotion of their natural supporters, instead of being amply rewarded seems outrageous, and yet in the present temper of our noble parliament it is apparently not cared for—not considered. The expense is the great bugbear in the matter of pensions, and with the country swamped in debt no doubt our members feel rather dubious about bringing down or advocating a heavy pension list. They would rather, in pursuance of their usual tactics, shuffle out of giving even the preservers of the country which kept them in their unworthily filled offices their rights. While a niggardly pension rate might seem a saving at first, there is no reason to suppose that it would be a saving in the end. The great necessity of a soldier is the willingness to risk wounds or death when necessary, which is courage. Even the Canadian parliament need scarcely be told that say a thousand men who will face death at the word of command are better than ten thousand who will not. That a campaign may be ended in a few days by a few thousand brave men, that it would take ten times the number of cowards ten times as long at ten times the loss and cost to bring to a successful termination, if indeed they did not bring defeat and general ruin. How can it be expected that a reasoning man—no matter how personally reckless he may be—can go into a fight in which those who depend upon him may be reduced to beggary through harm occurring to him, with the same heart that he would have did he know that a grateful country, appreciating the sacrifices which he made, would provide for them as well or better than he could do; or that he himself,

if incapacitated from making his own living, would be treated with the consideration which his conduct and sacrifices merited. To stint the pensions of our volunteers, to make them a charitable dole instead of a debt of honor paid cheerfully and promptly, would be a dishonorable and injurious, and utterly unprofitable course.

Some very hard stories have been circulated against the 65th battalion lately quartered in this district, notably by the Toronto News. The first detachment of the battalion arrived here on the first of May and the last left on the 30th of June, so that for two solid months themselves and their actions, both officers and men, were more or less before the people of Edmonton. Putting aside the prejudice which their own officers did not a little to excite, the following facts in regard to the 65th are presented for consideration: The battalion was one of the first ordered to the North-West. At the time the order was received it was not in full strength and had to be made up to that strength in a hurry. It started from Montreal on time, experienced most severe weather north of lake Superior, equalled the best time made, arrived in Calgary in good shape, made a remarkably rapid as well as dangerous march to Edmonton, and arrived here in excellent health and spirits. Here the battalion was broken up, part going to Victoria by team, part remaining to garrison Forts Edmonton and Saskatchewan, and part taking the back track to garrison posts on the trail. The men sent south worked like beavers and erected fortifications which were of use to themselves and of value to the country; the men remaining at Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan behaved with propriety and credit to themselves and all connected with them. The men sent to Victoria were there transferred to the scows and went in them to Pitt, willingly helping the boatmen at the oars, always cheerful and contented, shirking no duty. When ordered into action all reports agree that they went in without flinching, with as good a heart as the best of our volunteers. That the battalion was not given the best show possible, and that it did so well in the various circumstances in which the different portions were placed, is the best possible answer to the charges that have been made against it. While the BULLETIN was quick to resent encroachments by officers of the battalion, who failed to sink the politician in the soldier, simple justice demands that we speak of men as we find them. It is most unpleasant to any one who wishes well to Canada to see men who, by their action in helping with the burdens and sharing the dangers of the rest, were contributing towards its welfare, grossly maligned as have been the men of the 65th.

HARNESSES.—A set of heavy double harness nearly new. For sale by the undersigned. K. A. MCLEOD.

NOTICE.—When the mail from Calgary arrives later than five o'clock in the afternoon, the post office will be closed until seven o'clock the next morning. All matter to be posted if not delivered at the office promptly before the time of closing the mail will be left over until next mail. A. D. OSBORNE, postmaster.

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THE 1st.

Dominion day was celebrated in great style by the people of Edmonton and vicinity, on Wednesday last. If the crowd turning out to the celebration or the amount of boodle in view in prizes and bets is any guide to the amount of loyal fervor in the minds of the people, Edmonton is the most loyal place in Canada. It is to be feared, however, that a flush of money rather than any more laudable reason was what made the turn out good and the interest great. The 65th, who had arranged to take part in the celebration, having left the previous evening, the number present was not as large as it otherwise would have been, but the boys of No. 7 company, Light Infantry, and the civilians generally felt themselves still equal to the occasion, and whooped it up accordingly. The hot weather of the preceding days had been cooled off by a heavy shower the night before, which, however, did not injure the track. The morning was cloudy and a slight rain fell about noon, but the afternoon was perfection itself, sunny, yet cool and breezy. The lengthy programme arranged for was gone through with excepting the shooting match, which the departure of the 65th broke up, and the tug of war, for which there was not time when justice had been done the other sports. The grounds were adorned by five or six more or less elaborate beer saloons, and two wheels of fortune offered a means of getting rid of surplus cash to those for whom horse racing could not do it fast enough. The members of the committee were sharp on hand, the preparations were thoroughly made, and everything went off without slowness or hitches. The following are the events:

Mile horse race, three entries, M.A. McKellar's Sorrel Tom, ridden by T. Lauder, 1st, \$25; W. Macdonald's John, ridden by owner, 2nd, \$15.

Half-mile horse race, 5 entries, C. Fraser's Rorie, ridden by T. Lauder, 1st, \$20; P. Brunette's Blueskin, ridden by H. Cameron, 2nd, \$10.

Quarter-mile horse race, 7 entries, Brownie, owned in St. Albert, ridden by Ward, of St. Albert, 1st, \$15; Ramsey's Mike, ridden by T. Lauder, 2nd, \$5.

Quarter-mile for native ponies, 4 entries, Jas. Reid's Tom, ridden by owner, 1st, \$7; W. Macdonald's Jerry, ridden T. Lauder, 2nd, \$4.

100 yards foot race, 8 entries, H. W. Hilliard, W. L. L., 1st, \$10; W. L. Hornsby, W. L. L., 2nd, \$5.

220 yards foot race, 6 entries, H. W. Hilliard, 1st, \$15; W. L. Hornsby, 2nd, \$7.50.

100 yards foot race, boys under 10, Outram Anderson, 1st, \$2; John Logan, 2nd, \$1.

100 yards, boys under 15, Joe Bennett, 1st, \$2; Sam Rowland, 2nd, \$1.

Half-mile, boys under 15, C. Denny, 1st, \$3; E. Groat, 2nd, \$1.

Potatoe race, 5 entries, A. J. McCorrister, 1st, \$10; Geo. Gibson, W. L. L., 2nd, \$5.

Half-mile race, 5 entries, L'Hirondelle (Wa-be), 1st, \$10; W. L. Hornsby, 2nd, \$5.

Half-hour, go-as-you-please, 8 entries. The ring was half a mile. Ed. Lyons made 7 laps, W. L. Hornsby 7, John Knott, Peace river, 10, and L'Hirondelle (Wa-be), St. Albert, 10; L'Hirondelle, 1st, \$25; Knott, 2nd, \$10, time of former five miles in 31 minutes, Knott a good second. At the 9th lap the latter thought the race was over and stopped, losing too much ground to regain in it in the last lap, otherwise he would have ran the winner close, if not have taken 1st money.

Three-legged race, 4 entries, W. L. Hornsby and Geo. Gibson, W. L. L., 1st, \$10; W. Murphy and H. E. Cattle, W. L. L., 2nd, \$5.

Standing high jump, 5 entries, S. Waddell, 1st, \$3, 3 ft. 10 in.; Geo. Gibson, 2nd, \$2, 3 ft. 8 in.

Running high jump, 3 entries, G. Gibson, 1st, \$4, 4 ft. 4 in.; R. Souster, W. L. L., 2nd, \$2, 4 ft. 3 in.

Pole jumping, 4 entries, Geo. Gibson, 1st, \$5, 7 ft. 6 in.; W. L. Hornsby, 2nd, \$2. The jump was a tie, but Hornsby refused to finish, and took second place. Bets were drawn.

Running long jump, 3 entries, R. Souster, 1st, 15 ft. 8 in.; W. Murphy, 2nd, \$2, 14 ft. 11 in.

Standing long jump, 4 entries, R. Souster, \$3, 9 ft. 4 in.; J. Borwick, 2nd, \$2, 8 ft. 11 in.

Running hop-step-and-jump, 7 entries, R. Souster, 1st, \$4, 37 ft. 2 in.; Balfour, 2nd, \$2, 36 ft. 3 in.

Putting stone, 3 entries, D. Cameron, 1st, \$5, 30 ft.; R. Souster, 2nd, \$2, 28 ft. 4 in.

Throwing the hammer, 3 entries, D. Cameron, 1st, \$5, 68 ft. 7 in. R. Souster, 2nd, \$2, 67 ft. 4 in.

Tossing the caber, 4 entries, D. Cameron, 1st, \$5, 27 ft. 5 in.; R. Souster, 2nd, \$2, 25 ft. 5 in.

The judges were John Looby, Jas. O'Donnell, and M. McKinnon. R. Vance, starter.

The working committee were Capt. McIntosh, chairman, H. Causton, secretary, C. F. Strang, treasurer; sgt. Mason, privs. Bold and Brown, W. L. L., and Jas. McDonald, J. Luby, C. W. Sutter, J. Kelly, C. Fraser, Geo. Grignon and E. Brousseau.

The sports were not concluded until after 6 o'clock. Besides the events on the programme, a number of races came off during the day on the straight track to the north of the circular track, and attracted from time to time a large portion of the crowd. They were always closely contested and a considerable amount of money changed hands on them.

THE BARONESS.

The Baroness, of the Galt line, arrived from Pitt Tuesday morning at 8:30. She left Pitt at 2:30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 26th, and made the trip in 36 hours and 40 minutes running, fastest time on record. She brought no load. Capt. Davis, superintendent of the Winnipeg and Western transportation company's line last summer; mate, J. Flattery; pilot, Capt. Todd. She came for the men of the 65th lying here and took them to Grand Rapids, whence they will go by lake boat to Winnipeg. The Alberta left Pitt on the morning of the 25th, taking the McLeans, who had just arrived safely from the Indian camp. She was to go to Saskatoon for the wounded there and then proceed to Grand Rapids. The Marquis and the Northcote were to leave Pitt on Monday, taking Middleton and Strange and their troops to Grand Rapids. Col. Otter, with the Queen's Own, was at Turtle lake. A battalion for North-West service was to be formed of volunteers from the companies on active service, of which Battleford would probably be the headquarters.

THE 65TH.

A DETACHMENT of twenty men No. 8 company of the 65th, Capt. Ethier, arrived on Sunday last from Peace hills farm, where they have been doing garrison duty since the first week in May. No. 7 company, Capt. Doherty and Lieut. Labelle, arrived from Ft. Saskatchewan where they also have been in garrison, on Monday forenoon, and No. 1 company, Capt. Ostelle, Lieut. Plenquet, arrived from Battle river, and a detachment of 20 men of No. 8 company, Lieut. Normandeau and Sgt. Duchesnay, arrived from Red Deer on Tuesday afternoon. These movements concentrated the whole of the four companies of the 65th left in garrison in the Edmonton region at Edmonton, for the purpose of joining the remainder of the battalion at Pitt. Nos. 1 and 8 companies will not carry away with them the most pleasant impressions of the North-West. Almost the whole of the time during which they were in garrison was occupied in erecting fortifications. At Peace hills the farm instructor's house was loopholed, intrenchments thrown up around it, and a small stockade built. At Battle river the H. B. store was fortified and named Fort Ostelle, after the captain of No. 1 company. The works comprise the strengthening and loopholing the walls of the store building, and the making of a deep trench and an embankment all around. Timbers are laid along the top of the embankment with a space underneath to fire through, and branches of trees posted all along the front to confuse the marksmanship of the enemy. At Red Deer a first-class permanent fort was erected. R. McLellan's new log building was first occupied. It was loopholed and a plank sheeting put around ten inches from the walls, the space being filled in with clay. The fort was built to enclose this building and is 120 feet square. The walls are of hewed logs ten feet in height, and sunk two feet in the ground. They are then planked up inside and the eight inch space between filled with earth. Three bastions are built, one on each of the two corners facing the road, and one in the centre of the rear wall. Inside the walls a good well has been dug. The twenty men of the detachment did the whole of the manual labor connected with the work except a few days during which three civilians were employed, working from seven to eight hours daily, and standing guard at night. The fort is a most important work for the protection of the settlement and of the Edmonton trail, and the men rightly think that 50c a day is rather small pay for the work done, especially when it was so necessary and will be so useful. To make the matter more unsatisfactory, just as the fort was completed they were ordered away, and received no benefit from the work done. The men of the Battle river and Peace hills detachments have similar, though not as strong grounds of complaint. The whole detachment left on the Baroness at 7 p.m. on Tuesday. A large crowd was gathered on the river bank at the Fort to see them off and gave them three cheers. The 65th gave three cheers for Capt. Hamilton, supply officer, before leaving, showing that at least one supply officer in the country has the confidence of the soldiers whom he provides for.

TAT-WA-SIN, a Salteaux, was a sort of chief of a few families living at Buffalo lake last winter. He is now residing in the Bastille at Battleford. Another victim of bad associations.

CHURCHES.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Hours of Sunday service: All-Saints 11 a.m., St. Michael's 6.30 p.m. W.N.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF EDMONTON DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—

Having been personally asked by a large number of the electors of this district, and requested also by a requisition signed by a great many of the leading electors of St. Albert, Ft. Saskatchewan and Edmonton, to stand as a candidate for the membership of the North West council, I have after due consideration decided to do so.

My views upon the public questions of the day are tolerably well known to most of you. As a property holder of some extent, and having all my interests in this district, I may I think lay claim to having an interest in the development and well-governing of the North West, and shall if elected use all my power to obtain such legislation as will assist to develop our resources in every shape and form.

Believing that the best interests of the North West cannot be served (at the present time) by factious opposition and senseless agitation against whatever government may be in power, I shall always oppose any such course, but at the same time will always stand up for the rights of the settlers and endeavor to secure the privileges which this country is entitled to.

During the past few years the population and resources of the territories have increased so rapidly that the form of government and mode of administering the public affairs which was quite adequate and satisfactory when the country was thinly settled and had no important interests at stake is at the present time not only inadequate but unsatisfactory and unjust. We are taxed both directly and indirectly by the federal government, and pay more taxes per head than the people of the provinces, while we have no voice or say as to the levying of these taxes, no representation at the source where these taxes are imposed—in fact we have no form of responsible government for the territories. Believing this condition of affairs to be unjust, it will be my aim to direct all the power the council possesses to bring the question before the federal government with the view of being accorded representation in the house of commons.

As at present constituted the council possesses very limited legislative power, which should be enlarged and extended so as to give it the same powers and functions as a province, and more particularly to give it the control of all monies in its treasury, and to conduct all local affairs upon the system of responsible government.

Believing that it is upon the agricultural and mining industries that we must to a great extent depend for the present and future prosperity of the North West, it will always be my first aim to secure and assist such legislation as will benefit and help the farmers, encourage immigration, protect and develop the mining interest.

I consider the half-breeds of the country are entitled to the same treatment as their brethren received in Manitoba, and therefore I will support as far as possible any effort made to secure that which they have a right to look for.

If elected I shall serve the people of this district to the best of my ability, without fear or favor, and without respect to party, class or locality.

I have the honor to be,

Gentlemen,

Yours obediently,

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THE FT. PITT CAMPAIGN.

The scouts returned from Ft. Pitt report nine Indians killed in the different fights: Ma-ne-nook, of Saddle lake, killed near Pitt by Steele's scouting party, four who died of wounds received in the fight at Frenchman's hill and four left on the battle ground at Loun lake. One of those killed at Loun lake was Su-ka-koola, the chief at Onion lake near Pitt. Sak-a-wa-mo, one of his band, Oo-na-win, one of Big Bear's band, and a Salteaux from Touchwood hills. Gen. Strange's fight occurred a short distance east of Frenchman's hill. The Indians occupied a position on high, wooded ground on the east side of a wide valley with muskeg bottom, which ran to the Saskatchewan. The troops advanced from the west and opened fire. The Indians' flight on the side of the valley with cannon and rifles at a distance of 600 yards. The Indians were strongly entrenched in rifle pits. Steele's scouts were extended to outflank the Indian position, but in trying to cross the muskeg bottom of the valley in its worst place mired their horses and had to give the attempt up. One policeman named McKee was slightly wounded in the knee. The 68th had been advanced down into the valley in the Indian front, but when the flanking movement was abandoned they were withdrawn, with privates Marcotte and Lemay wounded. The Light Infantry were held in reserve and suffered no loss. It was possible to have crossed the muskeg elsewhere than at the point attempted by the scouts, but as no one with the force was acquainted with the country, the strength of the Indians was unknown and night was coming on the general did not attempt it and withdrew. The Indians doing likewise. Here the Chipewians took leg ball, striking for their reserve at Beaver river, and most of the prisoners made their escape. The Wood Cree and Big Bear's band retreated towards Loun lake. At Loun lake Steele's command of about 80 men came up with the rear guard of the Indians as they were about to cross an arm of the lake and drove them across with a loss of four killed. Sgt. Major Furey, of the police, was shot through the lungs here and W. West, scout, shot in the thigh. T. Fisk, scout, had been shot in the arm the day before as he and two other scouts were riding in advance, by an Indian who had taken the back track to look for horses or perhaps police, and who fired from the bush. The scouts reached the Indian camp before the Indian scout, which accounts for the Indians having been surprised. The fight nearly exhausted the scouts, ammunition, and as their provisions were also gone they were obliged to return and meet the main body advancing with weapons and supplies, under General Middleton, Gen. Strange and his infantry command having been sent back to go to Beaver river by the Cold lake trail. After the Loun lake fight the Wood Cree and with the prisoners branched off from Big Bear's party and went north across Beaver river to Lac des Isles, while Big Bear and the plain Cree turned south-east and went towards Turtle lake. When the troops had gone about twelve miles beyond Loun lake the nature of the country made it impossible to take the weapons or cannon further, although pack horses and mounted men could still travel, and Gen. Middleton ordered the chase to be given up. The scouts say that Steele's command could not have been more than fifteen miles from Big Bear's camp when the chase was given up, and had he been allowed to proceed he would have certainly caught him. He was then supposed to have not more than thirty or forty men with him. The Wood Cree at Lac des Isles ran short of food and released the McKee and other prisoners to the number of 25 in all. They came back to Pitt on the trail made by the Indians in coming out, and would have suffered from want of food had they not come upon an ox which the Indians had abandoned on their way north. They arrived at Pitt in the latter end of last week. Mr. McLean and his family were not treated as harshly as had been feared, manual labour being all that was exacted from them. The squaw who hanged herself was found just where the chase left - the Indians was abandoned. She had been abandoned by the Indians, and she apparently hanged herself for fear of falling into the hands of the soldiers. The Chipewians who left Big Bear gave themselves up to Gen. Strange at their reserve at Beaver river. Pres. Legoff, their missionary, interceded for them and they were set free. Amongst the arms given up by them were several police rifles. Moving Spirit, who killed Quinn at Frog lake, went with the Wood Cree to Lac des Isles, but afterwards left them and joined Big Bear. Col. Williams was at Frog lake some days ago, when the last of the scouts left, and was reported to be erecting three scaffolds on which to hang guilty Indians. The Wood Cree, like the Chipewians, say they were ordered from the fighting by Big Bear, who afterwards proved himself to be a coward, and they were glad to be away from him.

The scrip commissioners completed their work at St. Albert, on Tuesday last, and re-opened business in the Edmonton land office on the same afternoon.

Weather report for week ending Friday evening, July 3rd, 1885. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max	Min.
Saturday,	80	48
Sunday,	83	42
Monday,	82	52
Tuesday,	89	47
Wednesday,	72	58
Thursday,	77	42
Friday,	72	48

Barometer rising, 27.740.

MARRIAGES.
BOWICK-ERASMUS-On Thursday, July 2nd, 1885, by Rev. J. H. Howard, John Bowick, of Edmonton, to Eliza Erasmus, of Whitefish lake.

NORN-PRUDEN-On Thursday, June 30th, 1885, in the Methodist church, Edmonton, by Rev. J. H. Howard, John Norn, of Victoria, to Miss E. J. Pruden, Beaver lake.

DEATH.
NEWTON-On the 12th of June, at Lindsay, Ont., Mr. Louis N. Newton, son of the Rev. Canon Newton of this place.

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THURSDAY-noon at St. Albert bridge; at Cunningham's over night.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF EDMONTON MUNICIPAL DISTRICT.
GENTLEMEN:-

Having the honor to be your first choice as representative of this district in the North-West council, I now offer myself for re-election. What my course has been during the past year, you are all acquainted with, and should you approve of it so far as to elect me again you may depend that it will be so altered, My voice and vote will always be for the best interests of the West settler no matter who or what may oppose me. In the passage of ordinances and the granting of the interests of the district I will receive my fullest and most careful attention.

Believing that the people of the North-West have the same rights as Canadians elsewhere in Canada, for the full exercise of which they are now fitted by their numbers and intelligence - and believing further that the exercise of these rights is necessary to the proper development of the country, I shall present to the council in the North-West council as shall make every member directly responsible to the people of the district to whom they are now fitted by their numbers and intelligence - and believing further that the exercise of these rights is necessary to the proper development of the country, I shall present to the council in the North-West council as shall make every member directly responsible to the people of the district to whom they are now fitted by their numbers and intelligence - and believing further that the exercise of these rights is necessary to the proper development of the country, I shall present to the council in the North-West council as shall make every member directly responsible to the people of the district to whom they are now fitted by their numbers and intelligence - 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